IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF PENNSYLVANIA

TED A. MCCRACKEN : CIVIL ACTION

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v. : NO. 17-4495

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R.J. REYNOLDS TOBACCO

COMPANY, et al.

<u>ORDER</u>

AND NOW, this 2nd day of February 2018, upon considering Defendants' Motions to dismiss (ECF Doc. Nos. 18, 20, 27), the *pro se* Plaintiff's Opposition and Cross-motion for leave to file a second amended complaint (ECF Doc. No. 28) and for reasons in the accompanying Memorandum including the Plaintiff's present failure to plead our subject matter jurisdiction, it is **ORDERED**:

- 1. Defendants' Motions to dismiss for lack of subject matter jurisdiction (ECF Doc. Nos. 18, 20, 27) are **GRANTED without prejudice** for the *pro se* Plaintiff to file a second amended complaint no later than **February 16, 2018** or his claims will be dismissed with prejudice; and,
- 2. Under this Order, Plaintiff's cross-motion for leave to file a second amended complaint (ECF Doc. No. 28) is **DENIED as moot**.

KEARNEY